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OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE STATE.

No Flag but the Old Flag—the Red, White and Blue,
With the stars of a Union to the Eastward and true!
Arise and defend it; ye sons of the brave,
Whose blood bought the banner your cabin must save.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB. 15, 1865.

FUTURE POLITICAL ISSUES.—The *National Intelligencer*, which supported McClellan, copies with approbation the following language of the New York *World*. They virtually admit that they are utterly whipped out in their championship of slavery. The Democratic party has had nothing but pro-slaveryism to subsist on for five years. Now, instead of disbanding, their leading organs propose to drop slavery as dead and buried—as a moribund institution." Rats quitting a sinking ship. It is now their chief study to find some new pet policy on which to affix the label "Democracy." The only real policy left is that of seeking the "loaves and fishes." As many were "war" Democrats just before the election, so many will become "anti-slavery," as the question is decided by the voice of the people. What will become of those poor politicians whose whole stock in trade consisted in crying "politicos!" Othello's occupation is gone forever.

Under the head of "Future political issues, the *Intelligencer* says:

The New York *World*, which, more than any other paper of its party, may be regarded as a typical exponent of the present attitude and future tendencies of Democratic opinion, expresses the belief that slavery is in a rapid process of disappearance, as an element of political discussion likely to furnish points of difference between loyal citizens. To this effect it says:

"Before another Presidential election the abolition question, for example, will probably be in such a state that past ideas will not apply. * * * the problem advances toward its predetermined solution. we shall see parties more and more disposed to acquiesce in the manifest tendency of events. Before the expiration of its new lease of power the Republican party will have secured a constitutional amendment for the entire extirpation of slavery in the United States. If the South should, meanwhile, gain its independence, slavery can be no longer a question of Federal politics; but if we disarm Southern resistance, the anti-slavery amendment will have been put in force, and have done its work before the Democratic party can be in power. Why should the party bind itself to a dead corpse?

"Unless the Democratic party is blind enough to run the hazard of disintegration, it must distinguish between questions virtually settled and questions that still remain open. It must so far keep pace with events as to accept their logic. Public opinion has no efficiency without political combination; but for masses large enough to act in concert thought must be left free on all questions save those which rank as living, vital issues. The number who oppose the abolition of slavery (now a minority) is not likely to grow larger, but to grow less, with the progress of time. Every Democrat can, of course, hold whatever opinions he chooses on that subject. Such opinions are no longer of the slightest political consequence. Individual Democrats will think what they please; but the subject must be dismissed from the range of topics on which *the party* is expected to have distinctive views. There is no conceivable position on the slavery question on which the Democratic party can plant itself and become a majority. Its antecedents and associations, as well as its respect for the Constitution as it stands, forbid it to accept the logic of events and the tendency of public opinion, as well as the Constitution in the form into which it is certain to be amended, forbid it to commit itself to the fortunes of a moribund institution." The *Intelligencer* adds:

We do not doubt that the *World* gives counsel with its usual sagacity when it advises the party of which it is a leading organ not to "commit itself to the fortunes of a moribund institution."

When Richmond commences to talk of abolition (as we hear that the Richmond press already does) then even the so-called Democratic party may well call slavery a "moribund" institution—and look about for some new shibboleth. They have need to place their house in order and prepare for political annihilation everywhere, but this yielding to the "logic of events" is especially proper in this region, where—thanks to the Wilmot proviso—in the act of Congress creating the Territorial Government of Oregon—slavery has only been known as an evil afflicting our fellow-citizens thousands of miles distant.

RUSSO-AMERICAN TELEGRAPH.—We have had the pleasure of meeting Mr. E. Conway, who is on his way to Victoria; to superintend the construction of the telegraph line through British Columbia, a distance of some 1,200 miles, intending to connect with a line through Russian Possessions to the mouth of the Amoor River, in Asia, a still further distance of at least 5,000 miles, and crossing Behring's Strait by submarine cable, which can be laid in thirty-seven miles, should it be feasible to effect the crossing in the narrowest place.

Colonel Bulkley, Engineer-in-Chief of the whole enterprise, will soon follow from San Francisco, and he will personally superintend the line through the Russian Possessions, to the Amoor. This company is commonly known as the Russo-American Telegraph Company, but its real title is "Collins' Overland Telegraph Company—Western Union Extension." It is principally owned by the Western Telegraph Company, which owns the Overland Line to the States. Mr. Collins being the projector of the line, and grants having been made to him, in view of its construction, Col. Bulkley goes soon to the island of Sitka, to commence operations.

The magnitude of this whole enterprise can be estimated when the reader confines the fact that this line will extend between 6,000 and 7,000 miles, over a region almost unknown and scarcely in any part settled by civilized men. Its great feature of success lies in the fact that when completed, it can connect Europe and America by the only certain means of telegraph communication.

EAGLE CREEK MINES.—These mines are situated near Snake river, not far from Powder river. Eagle creek empties into the latter stream. Extensive and rich mines have been discovered there, but have been difficult to work on account of the scarcity of water. Mr. Rockfellow tells us that he and others have finished a ditch at a cost of over twenty thousand dollars, capable of conveying five hundred inches or more of water over all the mining ground as yet discovered. The price of water will be fifty cents for first head and down to twenty-five cents—rather high charges, but it is confidently believed the diggings can afford it.

Rich quartz ledges have been struck upon the waters of Eagle Creek that will be well prospected the coming year. Arrangements have been made to put up a crushing apparatus in connection with a saw mill building for the purpose of working and testing these ledges. This mining district is in Union county, and promises to become prominent and important during the coming season.

DANGEROUS.—The Marysville *Express* is afraid France will get mad if we interfere with the colonizing scheme of Gwin. So says the *Appeal* man, who is n't a bit afraid of Louis Napoleon in the business.

OPHIR MINE.—The water in the Ophir mine is being greatly reduced by pumping, and large pumps are being rigged that must set things working right and profitably again.

By Overland Telegraph.

DATES TO FEBRUARY 13.

California News.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11.—We have nothing from the east side. The most intense excitement exists among the stock-jobbers. This afternoon twenty-five thousand dollars sold at fifty cents by sell-out at three days. Five thousand 10 cent bills at thirty days; five thousand at fifty cents calls, the latter being reported to be purchased on deferred terms in the east.

It is said a very good [illegible] that the steamer has [illegible] that $1,000,000 will [illegible] by the following steamer.

Lumber [illegible] were received from California during the week just closed.

Collector Jones now requires every shipper to clear his treasure under oath to the Custom House instead of allowing it to be settled in the aggregate, by the captain of the steamer.

Several overland mails were received last night with letters dated prior to January 1st.

The peace of the U. S. [illegible] champagne [illegible] property of A. Castera & Co. came up in the U. S. District Court today. Judge [illegible] was empannelled and the case set for to-morrow. This will be the first case, as to some of the numerous cases still standing in the Custom House during the past year. Grant Gray has ordered Judge Kirkham, Dan White, Burress, Bolton, Westerfelt, Sackett Hall, George Goss and F. F. Johnson for summons.

The Dorcas, Wilson, *Bath*, 90, libel suit is still progressing. The defendants to-day, moved for a non-suit, on the grounds that the averments and specifications contained in the libel published, were not proved, sufficient to constitute libel; also, that the publication was a privileged article, and that they could not recover sales; express and other ways proved. The motion for non-suit was overruled.

A programme has been arranged by the Second Regiment of Militia, for the celebration of Washington's Birthday and the firing of salutes.

James Mathews, who stabbed a fellow-shipmate on the ship *Black*, was discharged to-day. The evidence showing it to have been done in self-defense.

The suit of T. M. Turner [illegible] Andrew Webster, for $5,000 dollars for false imprisonment, is on trial to-day.

A man supposed to be Louis B. Stetson was found dead in bed this morning, at the World Crest House.

The United States steamer, *Warren*, leaves to-morrow on a cruise across the bay, for target practice.

A light rain has been falling all day.

Flour and wheat are well sustained. Sales of barley were made at 3c. per lb; Oats are dull at $2 75@2 90 per cwt.

MARYSVILLE, Feb. 12.—Since it was discovered that letters containing valuables were systematically extracted from the mails in this section, part of the 53rd and 54th [illegible] detective officer of his place traced the robbery to the Marysville post office by means of a decoy letter containing $20 in greenbacks. Officer Coffin met success, in finding the robbery upon an employed of this office named M. P. Eaton. Upon his arrest this morning the $20 greenbacks in the decoy letter, together with some $70 extracted from other letters in the same mail, were found in his possession. From confessions of the prisoner it is learned that his official career has [illegible] $2,000 since October last, which is dependations begun.

There are messages at the telegraph office for Davis Street and J. W. Godley.

Letter from Comus.

EUGENE CITY, February 10, 1865.

EDITOR OREGONIAN:

This morning a [illegible] company of infantry just organized here took its line of march for Lancaster, where they expect the steamer *Enterprise* will meet them—awaiting orders having been received by Capt. Ringhart. The captain was not able to go this morning, being detained by the severe illness of his wife. Recruiting is progressing slowly in Douglas county; 60 up to thus far is the new recruiting district cavalry.

To-day was set for hearing the famous tax-mandamus case; but Judge Stratton having signified to the parties his wish to go to Roseburg, they met in a fine quiet little room one day early in the week and disposed of the case, to the immense disappointment of the crowd that flocked to the court house. Judge Boise and Dr. Prim opposed, there seems to be a variety of opinions. The Judge tells us all that he has made no decision and expressed no opinion in the case; but it does not seem to be so understood by the parties, for they are vigorously preparing an appeal to the Supreme Court—at least, trying to do so. For I saw to-day the appeal bond lying in the pocket of one of our merchants, with a long string of signatures, the parties headed by the redoubtable John Whiteaker and sureties, all together looking very like a young Declaration of Independence; and whether right or wrong, the parties seem quith as resolute in their efforts as did John Hancock and his compeers. It is to be hoped or regretted that the Judge will not give the cause a hearing and then decide, as it is the general opinion that his decision would have been acquiesced in, if carefully made. Alvord, county Treasurer, took down to Salem all the taxes collected, nearly $7,000, which is more than half the State tax.

Shall I devote a few words to poor Xindex, your correspondent from this place? "The game is scarcely worth the candle," and it is not unlikely that the parties on whom, in his zeal to serve the gold-pulling office-holders, he has seen fit to cast the opprobrium, will probably give him ample attention in due time.

The head and front of my offending, supposing his silly surmise to be correct, is simply that I have been in the "Copperhead ticket," and am at the same time "correspondent" for a good Union paper. Where is the point of his criticism, and how does it prove that greenbacks can't pay taxes while they pay all other debts? How does that prevent [illegible] writing a statement of facts for a Union newspaper? I know of no Copperhead that drinks his coffee without sugar in it, but I don't propose to take same "straight" on that account. Nor do I propose to stop my Oregonian because such a [illegible] as Xindex finds a place occasionally in its columns. I defy him to impeach my record as a true Union man. But enough for this time. The question being whether any further notice shall be taken of Xindex at present, although I did to some extent introduce the bill; yet, believing it to be in accordance with the wishes of my constituents, I shall vote against it.

Rumor has it that several other parties are about to apply for a writ of mandamus, with a view of upsetting, so that the question can be tested, but many now think paying up will be the trouble. Has any action been had anywhere on your recognizance of making up an agreed case and sending it directly to the Supreme Court?

Weather is beautiful thus far this month, though the farmers complain that the frosts are injuring the growing grass and young grain. COMUS.

As Xindex and Comus are personal friends that we value, we have taken some liberties with their correspondence where it seemed that *limbo* would improve them.—ED.

CANYON CITY MAIL.—The mail to Canyon City for eight months past has been carried by the Dalles and Canyon City Stage Company who have received no remuneration therefor up to this time. As the Post Office Department has decided this to only a special route, nothing but the net proceeds of the canyon City office can be appropriated towards defraying the expense of carrying, so the Stage Company have concluded the job, not a paying one, and have discontinued the service. Hereafter, all persons sending letters to Canyon City, can have them safely and expeditiously carried by express, as Wells, Fargo & Co. send one a week from the Dalles, to be increased to twice a week as soon as spring opens. They charge a dime, and offer the only sure means of sending letters regularly.

EMANCIPATION IN BRAZIL.—That country did not emancipate her slaves, as we heard by telegraph; but the Emperor ordered the release of all the captives taken from slaves who had served an apprenticeship of fourteen years. It seems they have been kept in servitude contrary to agreement with Great Britain, who left them in the care of Brazil.

REAL ESTATE IN SAN FRANCISCO.—The *Bulletin* says speculation in real estate there has only been profitable in certain parts of that city. In other parts property is of lower price than it was eight or ten years ago.

SURVEYING.—We understand that Mr. Gale and party will leave here next Monday, to engage in surveying east of the mountains during the coming summer. They will commence in Walla Walla valley, and proceed southward. Hiter, Wm. Lewis will accompany the party for the purpose of rusticating in the mountains and improving his health.—*State Journal*.

WILLAMETTE THEATRE!

LESSEE AND MANAGER ..... PETER
ACTING MANAGER ..... J. B. WATSON

GREAT BILL!

SATAN IN PARIS!

MRS. S. M. IRWIN!

SATAN!

WEDNESDAY EVENG., FEB. 15, 1865.

Will be Enacted the Great Play entitled

SATAN IN PARIS!

MARTHE, a Stranger ..... MRS. S. M. IRWIN
TOM PAGE ..... PAGE

To conclude with

Little Treasure!

GERTRUDE ..... MRS. S. GETZLER

To-morrow Evening,

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In which performances

American Cousin!

AND

THE ANGEL AT MIDNIGHT!

DOORS OPEN AT 6½ O'CLOCK & THE CURTAIN RISES AT HALF PAST SEVEN PRECISELY.

Admission: $1 00
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Wanted,

BY A YOUNG MAN RECENTLY FROM SCOTLAND, a situation in a wholesale or retail store. Can keep books by double entry, and is a thorough accountant. Has had several years experience in the business. Can give satisfactory reference as to character and ability. Address "ACCOUNTANT," Oregonian Office.

NOTICE.

THE FIRST ANNUAL MEETING of the [illegible] Library Association will be held at the Library Room, on Monday, February 20th, at 7½ o'clock P. M. for the election of Trustees for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

J. C. AINSWORTH, Secretary.

Portland, Feb. 13, 1865.

Richard's Himself Again!

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OPPOSITE E. W. ASCHEN'S NEW BRICK STORE, in the City of Portland, where he will be found at all times, with a large and well selected stock of Groceries, Provisions, Liquors, Tobacco, Cigars, Fruits, Nuts, Confectionery, Canned Goods, Pickles, Sauces, Spices, Flour, Meal, Feed, Bran, Shorts, Potatoes, Onions, Apples, Lard, Butter, Cheese, Eggs, Soap, Candles, Starch, Crackers, Brooms, Brushes, Buckets, Tubs, Churns, Washboards, Clothes Pins, Clothes Lines, Wrapping Paper, Twine, Matches, Blacking, Blue, Candy, Oysters, Sardines, Lobsters, Salmon, Mackerel, Herring, Pickled Fish, Dried Fish, Smoked Fish, Fish Oil, Coal Oil, Lamps, Chimneys, Wicks, Lamp Trimmings, Tinware, Crockery, Glassware, Hardware, Cutlery, Nails, Spikes, Horse Shoes, Horse Shoe Nails, Iron, Steel, Powder, Shot, Lead, Caps, Fishing Tackle, Blankets, Flannels, Cassimeres, Jeans, Tweeds, Linseys, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Rubbers, Overshoes, Gum Coats, Oil Coats, Oil Pants, Oil Hats, Oil Caps, Oil Aprons, Oil Sacks, Oil Blankets, Oil Cloth, Carpets, Carpet Sacks, Valises, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Neckties, Scarfs, Collars, Shirts, Drawers, Undershirts, Ready-made Clothing, Cloth, Trimmings, Tailor's Goods, Ladies' Dress Goods, Ladies' Trimmings, Ladies' Shoes, Ladies' Hats, Ladies' Bonnets, Ladies' Cloaks, Ladies' Shawls, Ladies' Furs, Ladies' Hoop Skirts, Ladies' Corsets, Ladies' Collars, Ladies' Sleeves, Ladies' Under-sleeves, Ladies' Gaiters, Ladies' Slippers, Ladies' Balmorals, Ladies' Jackets, Ladies' Sacques, Ladies' Dresses, Ladies' Skirts, Ladies' Aprons, Ladies' Fancy Goods, Ladies' Notions, Ladies' Jewelry, Ladies' Perfumery, Ladies' Combs, Ladies' Brushes, Ladies' Soaps, Ladies' Pomades, Ladies' Hair Oils, Ladies' Hair Dyes, Ladies' Hair Restoratives, Ladies' Cosmetics, Ladies' Rouge, Ladies' Powders, Ladies' Paints, Ladies' Hair Pins, Ladies' Hair Nets, Ladies' Curling Irons, Ladies' Curling Tongs, Ladies' Curling Fluids, Ladies' Curling Pomades, Ladies' Curling Papers, Ladies' Curling Rags, Ladies' Curling Crimpers, Ladies' Curling Frizzers, Ladies' Curling Rats, Ladies' Curling Puffs, Ladies' Curling Switches, Ladies' Curling Braids, Ladies' Curling Curls, Ladies' Curling Ringlets, Ladies' Curling Waterfalls, Ladies' Curling Chignons, Ladies' Curling Coronets, Ladies' Curling Diadems, Ladies' Curling Tiaras, Ladies' Curling Wreaths, Ladies' Curling Garlands, Ladies' Curling Bouquets, Ladies' Curling Sprays, Ladies' Curling Pins, Ladies' Curling Combs, Ladies' Curling Brushes, Ladies' Curling Soaps, Ladies' Curling Pomades, Ladies' Curling Hair Oils, Ladies' Curling Hair Dyes, Ladies' Curling Hair Restoratives, Ladies' Curling Cosmetics, Ladies' Curling Rouge, Ladies' Curling Powders, Ladies' Curling Paints, Ladies' Curling Hair Pins, Ladies' Curling

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Money Market.

San Francisco Feb 19 1865 Gold ... 4 ... 4 ...
New York Feb 18 1865 Gold Quotations ... 200@2 ...

SAILING THIS DAY—Leaving the Post Office yesterday and the long string of smiling countenances with which the lovers of sacred music were regaled that

[illegible] Dispatch all mutual happiness had with kind and [illegible] at the Alpha at this Hall [illegible] February 14th St Vale time 8 Days. Now all at the ... ing face ... the lovers and the ... have been with the law would require much ... space to describe. But we will briefly say that ... go well together and will be united when Hymen ... swing to finally, it is said that ... seeing ... men and women, and that the birds of ... all their annual spring for summer mates ... the day after the ... Tinners anticipating that the first ... must be made ... in full ... in many cases quarrels ... in choosing ... leaving ... back in the ... called ... letters, returning presents and ... forming a united opposition ... bringing ... men on the day ... Valentine ... to St Vale time.

RUMORS OUT—A friend lately from Washoe relates the practices in vogue there adopted by the heavy share holders in running per stone to freeze ... the blues with more limited means. For instance, there ... up companies by degrees, ... the stock, running on current expenses and ... assessments to the best and ... purchasers and small holders. The ... when the stock sells for assessments and purchased by the knowing ones, ... after which dividends are declared. The ... Carry Bus from grinding ... managed, but with ... the scantiness ... thousands thrown away upon superfluous and extraordinary ... is still paying dividends. The ... have very generally depreciated, however, under the ... incurred by ... primarily managed ... the wealthy ... to thank that ... required a gold mine to work ... after a visit to Washoe but ... overstocked ... Washoe and we are just entering upon the new ... year opens as we feel that the ... will be worth ... to our readers who ... investments on a small scale ... high we are ... to mention ... the valuable ... of a prominent portion of the ... owners organized ... and have no presents of free ... to hold our observation, but that will cut ... swindling ... will be inaugurated before the ... of the campaign on ... rocks, is very reasonably supposed.

AFFAIR BETWEEN WATCHMEN—We have known for several weeks of a feud existing between two of the private watchmen of this city, deputized as Police officers by Marshal Hoyt and have refused to give the facts of the case simply because it was a personal affair, and would result in no good to the community under the present arrangements for supplanting a Police force. When the Council will inaugurate a system to provide for good and efficient men in those positions, the city will be safer and better for it, and when an officer is found lenient of his duties sleeping, gambling, etc., when he should be on his beat, the Marshal can remove him for a better man. It is a ... policy to compel private citizens to pay for the individual watching of their own premises, and worse to know that the men so paid neglect the trust reposed in them. The affair between these two officers is fast culminating one of them having been arrested at the instigation of the other yesterday, and sent to Fort Vancouver as a deserter from the United States service.

FIRE DEPARTMENT—The delegates recently elected from the various fire companies of the city, to represent the interests of the department for the present year, met at the Council Chamber on Monday evening and perfected an organization of the new Board by the selection of the following officers: President A R Ballock, Secretary H Boyd; Treasurer, Alex Dodge. By an act of the Legislature, passed at the session of 1860, the Board of Delegates are empowered to make laws for the government of the fire department; they may censure, suspend, remove from office, or expel from the Department any officer or member who shall refuse to obey lawful orders at any fire they may attend, examine the returns and declare the results of Department elections, fix the times for holding meetings etc. The Board is constituted of three members from each company.

MILITARY APPOINTMENTS—We learn that A J Boreland, 2d Lieut Oregon Infantry, after considerable difficulty, has succeeded in raising his company. Lieut Knapp will go to the Dalles in a few days and muster in the company. The Governor has appointed A J Boreland Captain and Wm H Rand 1st Lieutenant. It will be remembered that Capt. Boreland represented Grant county in the last Legislature. Mr Rand has served three years in the Oregon Cavalry, and by his attainments, energy and moral worth, worked his way up from a private to the position of 1st Lieutenant of his company. Faithful veteran soldiers should thus be remembered and his success in the new company will be invaluable. He has been stationed for a considerable of his term at the Dalles where he has many friends who will be pleased with his promotion. We know nothing of Mr. Power but learn that he is a resident for Grant county, and has rendered efficient service in raising the company.

ROBBERY OF A CHINAMAN—The robbery of a Chinaman reported to have occurred one day last week, was the subject of common on the streets yesterday. John appears to have visited the rural districts, not far from the city, during the sunny days of their late festivals in search of chickens. He displayed considerable cash, paying as he purchased, and finally started for his home with an assistant John, the fowls hanging upon a pole between them. When near Wilkinson's bridge a man with a blackened face bounced upon them with pistol in hand demanding John's money which was refused. John came home feeling quite excited at the outrage, declaring that it was "one hully good—Chinaman fraid big man shoot um!"

PLEASANTRIES—In the San Francisco *Golden Era* of the 5th inst., we find the following: 'Gus Pardey a really clever young Comedian now engaged in Potter's company in Portland, will soon make his debut at Maguire's Opera House.' The *Golden Era* is misinformed. Mr Pardey has no engagement with Maguire to perform in San Francisco. At present his only engagements are with Mr Potter, but we suppose he may eventually carry out the somewhat premature prediction of the *Era*.

EXCITEMENT—The Ten Mile creek diggings near Dallas city have played out, we were informed by a gentleman last evening. The dance of the excitement was the discovery of a few auriferous specimens that had been thrown away or lost by parties who had camped at that locality, en route to Dalles from Owyhee. Those staking off claims were "steamboated."

NEW GOODS—Cox & Bor—One day last week Master Edwin Talbot killed a buck about three miles from town which when dressed made a net weight of 112 pounds. Some old gunners don't do as well in a day's hunt. Mr. H— and sometimes return sorely disappointed empty. The boy says he thought he had killed a mule, and most anybody else would think so.

A HANDSOME BIRD—The fine steamer *Fannie Troop* Capt. Turnbull now carries perched upon her pilot house a handsome gilt emblem of the bird of liberty, the American Eagle, presented by Captain Conner of the steamship *Oregon*. It is a fine present, fittingly bestowed.

MISSING—We miss the first volume of the WEEKLY OREGONIAN from our office and will be greatly obliged to any person who will return it or give us the desired information as to where it may be found. Back numbers for the year begin with December 1st.

COUNTY COURT—The Grand Jury yesterday presented four indictments for trial. The day was occupied in disposing of motions and demurrers. The case of Commissioners Allen Fisher was set for trial at 9 A M to-day.

AUCTION SALE—A large and fine assortment of furniture and groceries will be offered for sale at auction at this store this day, together with a variety of groceries, etc., etc. Sale will commence at the regular hour of 10 A M. Parties desiring to purchase at private sale can call before the time of auction.

NAVIGATION—All steamers of the regular and irregular trade on the rivers of Oregon continue to ply with no interruption except those above the falls on the Columbia river. That portion of navigation between Umatilla and Wallula is blockaded with the ice.

RAIN—Copious showers have visited this region of country at intervals since Saturday evening at 6 o'clock.

RECORDER'S COURT—Six cases were entered upon the docket of the Recorder's Court yesterday. Two continued cases remain on the docket to be disposed of by fines.

THE OCCASION—The steamship *City of Panama* Connor will leave this port for Victoria and San Francisco at 10 o'clock A M to-day.

RICH MINES IN UTAH TERRITORY—The Virginia (Nevada) *Union* of January 16th tells another story:

Our readers will no doubt remember that the silver lodes in Rush valley, thirty-eight miles from Salt Lake City, have not been developed to any extent. We want to say to all those who have sent specimens of their surface for specimens. A few enterprising gentlemen, however, being desirous to ascertain what their claims contained, ran a shaft or tunnel on the great lode in it and struck the lode three feet wide, at a depth of fifty feet from the surface on the 14th inst. and upon breaking out a fresh rock as can be found in the mine. It is exactly similar to the Hope ledge of Pagan Canyon, which assays five hundred dollars to the ton. The surface of the ledge was but ten inches wide and a few thousand gallons before us have the appearance of being worth ... sulphurets. We regret that in all Utah there is not an assayer, elsewise we would have the specimens in our own possession to-day. The Great Basin is supposed to be an extension of the celebrated Quandary lode, and the present rich strike was made not long since not far from the deposit in the latter. It is fully demonstrated now that the galena will entirely disappear in the Rush Valley mines at a distance of from thirty to fifty feet from the surface and in its stead will be found rich sulphurets of silver not surpassed by any on the continent.

THE NEW YORK HERALD ON CHARITIES—The last number of the *Herald* says of the charities of New York that the military authorities of New York assisted by the Detective force, have arrested every one of the imposters in those charities who, some four or five weeks ago, endeavored to collect money in a dozen places. We are informed also says the *Spirit* that the confessions of all these persons have been taken and that the most astonishing revelations may, in due time, be expected. For reasons however connected with the public welfare and likely to ultimately connect with the welfare of the Union defensive forces, none of these revelations will be published, till after the conclusion of the war. And even then the names of the parties will be reserved, in order that the interests of the community may not be prejudiced by a premature disclosure. Sufficient has been communicated to us, however, to say that the complete success of General Dix and the New York Detective Police in this matter.

COMPANY C ALL RIGHT—The following fully answers the assertion in the Victoria papers that some of Capt. Crandall's men deserted at Victoria.

Lake American Flag: I noticed last evening that the *Bulletin* had announced a report in circulation from a Victoria paper to the effect that seventeen men had deserted at Esquimalt from a company of United States soldiers en route to Steilacoom. Being a passenger at the time and acquainted with Captain Crandall who had charge of the company, I can state most positively that he was not minus one man whose name could be found on the muster roll when the company left Esquimalt. Not a single man whose name appeared on the muster roll left the company at Victoria, but on the contrary every man was on board the *Eliza Anderson* the next morning ten minutes before the steamer left. As an act of justice to the men who had voluntarily enlisted in the service of the United States I would ask that you will notice the fact in your paper and show the falsity of the report which could only emanate from the pen of an enemy of our country. W. J. PIERSON.

IMPROVEMENTS—Salem still improves. The steady increase in the number of dwellings and other buildings has not been suspended even during the winter. Although the coldest and most stormy weather the knights of the jack plane, hammer and saw have been at work. An unusually large number of buildings will go in during the coming season, and by the close of next summer there will be but few available vacant lots within the present limits of our city. There are petitions now before the city council to have the streets extended through the land owned by Mrs Wilson and Mr Roberts in the eastern part of the city, so as to give advance to spread in that direction. There is opposition to this on the part of those owning the land, but these objections will doubtless yield in time to apparent public want. The council has passed an ordinance requiring sidewalks on the principal streets and by the coming of another winter most of the citizens will be able to travel dry shod to and from their places of business.—*Statesman*.

SALE OF COPPEROPOLIS—The Calaveras *Citizen* says: Colonel Hardy, of Copperopolis has sold out his interest in the Union Copper mine for the sum of six hundred and fifty thousand dollars. The sale of these shares at so high a figure, remarks the *Chronicle*, would seem to prove that those who purchased mining claims have implicit faith in the validity of the titles which miners can give. No man would pay over half a million of dollars for a claim if there was the shadow of doubt about the title. The miners and even capitalists, are satisfied with the present system and do not ask any additional security for their mineral possessions, only those who are desirous of having our miners' lands thrown into the market where they can be purchased by speculators, want any change.

SOLDIER'S DINNER—Last Tuesday the ladies of Eugene City, true to their reputation for patriotism and generosity gave a sumptuous dinner to Capt. Rigdon's Company of Volunteers at the quarters in the old City Hotel building. "About seventy five soldier boys," and a number of their friends—mostly ladies—were partakers of the feast. From the way the boys sent up cheer after cheer they evidently appreciated the viands or were greatly pleased with the presence of the fair sex. One of them pronounced the dinner the best he ever saw but gives it as his deliberate opinion that the girls who waited on the table, were the most interesting part of the arrangement.—*State Journal*.

EXAMINATION—The semi annual examination of classes in Willamette University came off during last week. The attendance of students thus far during the present year has been large and regular, and the examination showed that neither teachers nor pupils have been idle. It is hoped by the beginning of another term the new building will be completed, when the institution will be able to afford better accommodations to a much larger number.—*Statesman*.

NEW VOLUME—The DAILY OREGONIAN has entered upon the fifth year of its existence. After many difficulties and great perseverance on the part of its proprietor it has become one of the institutions of the country and a telegraphic and general news item has not equal on this coast north of Sacramento.—*State Journal*.

DEPARTURE OF VOLUNTEERS—Capt Rigdon's company have left here for Salem where they will be mustered into service. The company is mostly made up of farmer's sons, and contains many of the best citizens of Lane and Douglas counties.—*State Journal*.

ONE WORD TO THE LADIES—We supposed that the *ultima thule* in the art had been reached some months ago when we saw for the first time, a Grover & Baker machine in full action; but now a lady friend, well posted in all matters pertaining thereto informs us that an important part of the performance escaped our notice and in front of those exhibits to our astonished gaze her little boy's frock embroidered with tasteful and fanciful designs which she informs us was all done, stitching, embroidery and all on the same machine. This is certainly remarkable but nevertheless true and if all the purchasers of these celebrated machines are as enthusiastic admirers as the proprietor must be [illegible] in the [illegible] hymn of praise ascending on their behalf.

R W J Pierson Agent for Portland

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TURN VEREIN.—A [illegible] Turn Verein will be held [illegible] ning, Feb 15th, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

FRIEDMAN

Portland R A Chapter No. 3—Special Convocation Thursday evening, Feb 16th at 7 o'clock. Work in the M M M Degree. Companions are hereby notified to attend.

By order of M P

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The Old House Far Away.

The wild birds warble, the livery rills
Sing cheerfully round the spot,
And the peaceful shades of the purple hills
Fall mantling o'er the cot;
It's seldom we see such sights as these,
Or hear such melodies as they,
And I wonder where it is I go
The old house far away.

The little clock ticks on the parlor wall,
Recording the passing hours,
And the pet geranium does rank and tall,
With its brilliant scarlet flowers;
And the old-gray chair, snuggy and low,
Where mother sat knitting all day,
O, I need it here it where'er I go—
The old house far away.

Dear mother! how plainly I see her now,
Reclining in that old chair,
With the softest resting upon her brow
The wrinkles of age had left;
With her silver-tinged hair, white as snow,
And her once dark hair now gray—
O, I see it, I love it, where'er I go—
In that old house far away.

Not all the treasures the world affords
The riches of land or sea,
Nor all the wealth of earth's proud lords,
Can bribe from my memory
The cot that shelter'd my head so dear, dear dead,
And the humble flower that grew
Where the sweet breeze o'er it went to tread,
In the old house far away.

SHERMAN'S LOVE OF MUSIC.—Sherman's love of music is well portrayed by the correspondent of the *World*, in the following incident, which rivals the well remembered "Annie Laurie" of the Crimean campaign. He says

"Memorable the music that mocked the moon' on November of the soil of sometimes a triumphant march stirring a glorious waltz, again an old-time hope, the heart alike to recollects of brass to the Fleeting out from their blankets and generers of soldiers tents, these tunes hallowed als within of who listened.

the evening before his tent in the glow of a

"One one evening, Gen. Sherman let his cigar go out to listen to an air that a distant band was playing. The musicians ceased at last. The General turned to one of his officers:

"'Send an orderly to ask that band to play that tune again.'

"A little while, and the band received the word. The tune was "The Blue Juniata," with the exquisite variations. The band played it again, even more beautifully than before. Again it ceased, and then, off to the right, nearly a quarter of a mile away, the voices of some soldiers took it up with the words. The band, and still another band, played a low accompaniment. Camp after camp began singing; the music of 'The Blue Juniata' became for a few minutes, the oratorio of half an army."

EXTRAORDINARY CHANGE OF FORTUNE.—Among the many and surprising changes fortune delights in working, the elevation of a Turkish slave to the rank of a European embassador, is, perhaps, one of the most wonderful. "There was a time," writes a Berlin correspondent of a London paper, "when Madame Benedetti, whose arrival with her husband, the new French embassador here, is expected daily, occupied no more exalted position than that of a handmaiden to some Ottoman slave dealer. A Greek by birth, she was kidnapped, carried away, and sold into captivity during the sanguinary struggle which attended the liberation of her country. Thus it was, that, a mere child, she was exposed for sale in the slave market of Cairo, and passed over into the possession of M. d'Anastasi, a countryman of hers, and Swedish Consul-General in Egypt. The gentleman, whom good luck threw in her way, gave her an excellent education, and eventually bequeathed the whole of his immense property to the child whom he had adopted years ago and had learned to love. While her benefactor was still alive, Mdlle. d'Anastasi, whose original name remains unknown, married M. Benedetti, the consular agent of France at Alexandria. Within a few days she will be one of the three first ladies at Berlin, taking rank above all others, the Queen alone excepted."

A lady residing in the Rue de Revoli, Paris, returned sometime since from a visit she had made in the department of Finistere, bringing with her a young orphan girl, poor, but very pretty, named Yvonne S——, whom she engaged as her waiting maid. Last month a short time after her return to Paris, the lady died. When the body had been prepared for the coffin, and was for a short time left alone, Yvonne was seen to go stealthily into the room, lift up the shroud, and then suddenly leave. The first idea was that she had taken a ring which at the express desire of the deceased had been left on her finger. On examination, however, the ring was discovered to be untouched, but a paper was seen attached with a pin to the shroud. On inspection it was found to be a letter addressed by the young orphan to her mother, who died two years ago, and was as follows: "My good Mother—I have to tell you that M. B. has made me an offer of marriage. As you are no longer here, I beg you to make known to me in a dream whether I ought to marry him and to give me your consent. I avail myself, in order to write to you, of the opportunity of my mistress, who is going to heaven." The letter was addressed "To my Mother in Heaven." The person alluded to in the letter is one of the tradesmen of the deceased lady, who, having been struck with the good conduct of the young girl, had made her an offer of marriage.

HOW TO GET RID OF RATS.—For some years I was considerably annoyed with rats. I tried various "vermin poison," traps, etc., with very little success, until I thought of a mode which was adopted for destroying dogs that used to hunt our rabbit warren in the old country. So I got a quantity of broken bottles and window glass, and with a hammer and an anvil, triturated it pretty fine (a stone would do to pound the glass); I then sifted the coarse part out, and mixed a cupful of the fine with a cupful of flour and another of oatmeal, and, scenting it with a few drops of aniseed to attract them, I placed it on boards in the cellar, etc. They ate it up so fast that one of the family observed that "instead of poisoning, it must be fattening them;" but a few days told a different story. The last mess served for them remains untouched yet though not down last Fall, and no appearance of rat or mouse, living or dead since. Neither have we noticed any smell, or blue bottle (meat) flies, as there would have been had they died on the premises. It was a happy riddance. The mixture must be kept from children, dogs, etc., as it will kill them as well as rats.

MEMORY.—It is said of Cardinal Richelieu, that when he built his magnificent palace on the site of his old family chateau de Richelieu, he sacrificed its symetry to preserve the room in which he was born. An attachment of this nature is, generally characteristic of a benevolent mind; and long acquaintance with the world cannot always extinguish it. "To a friend," says John, Duke of Buckingham, "I will express my weakness. I am oftener missing a pretty gallery in the old house I pulled down, than pleased with a saloon which I built in its stead, though a thousand times better in all respects." This is the language of the heart, and will remind the reader of the good humored remark in ode of Pope's letters—"I should hardly care to have an old post pulled up, that I had remembered ever since a child."

One Englishman asked another why learning was always called a republic. "Because," said the other, "scholars are so poor that they have not a sovereign among them."

Every man is involuntarily original in at least one thing—his manner of sneezing.

Proclamation.

STATE OF OREGON, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
Salem, Dec. 1, 1864.

WHEREAS, I HAVE RECEIVED A REQUISITION from the Secretary of War of the United States, for one Regiment of Infantry, to be raised in this State, for the service of the United States, for the term of one year, unless sooner discharged, and to be mustered into the service of the United States as fast as they are raised and equipped, at such rendezvous as may be designated by the Commanding General of the Department of the Pacific, or by such officer as he may appoint to muster them in; and

WHEREAS, The Secretary of War has authorized me to raise said Regiment in the following manner, to wit: Companies may be raised in any part of the State and reported to the Governor, who will appoint the Field and Staff officers when the Regiment is full; and

WHEREAS, The Secretary of War has also authorized me to raise Companies for the Regiment of Cavalry now being raised in this State, for the service of the United States, for the term of three years, unless sooner discharged, and to be mustered into the service of the United States as fast as they are raised and equipped, at such rendezvous as may be designated by the Commanding General of the Department of the Pacific, or by such officer as he may appoint to muster them in; and

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